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TO AMEMBASSY SAN JOSE IMMEDIATE
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SUBJECT: TUNA DISCUSSIONS

1. EMBASSY AWARE THAT DEPUTY ASSISTANT SECRETARY
NEGROPONTE WILL TRAVEL TO SAN JOSE MAY 24-26 TO DISCUSS
TUNA ISSUE WITH GOCR OFFICIALS. IT IS NOT CLEAR TO DEPT
WHAT, IF ANYTHING, MIGHT BE IMMEDIATELY ACHIEVED THROUGH
THESE BILATERAL DISCUSSIONS OR WHETHER GOCR THINKING RE
LONG-TERM APPROACH TO TUNA QUESTION HAS CRYSTALLIZED.

2. DEPT. HAS NOTED THAT GOCR, IN RESPONDING TO U.S. NOTE
ON SUBJECT, DID NOT PICK-UP ON SUGGESTIONS THAT THERE BE
EARLY RECONVENING OF MULTILATERAL MEETING TO NEGOTIATE
NEW TUNA REGIME. WE SUGGEST THAT AS A MEANS OF HELPING TO
LAY GROUNDWORK FOR NEGROPONTE MEETING EMBASSY DISCUSS
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WITH APPROPRIATE GOCR OFFICIALS QUESTION OF MULTILATERAL
V. BILATERAL SOLUTION AND MAKE FOLLOWING POINTS,
(A) THE US BELIEVES ONLY VIABLE SOLUTION TO TUNA PROB-
LEM IS MULTILATERAL ONE, BECAUSE OF THE HIGHLY MIGRATORY
NATURE OF THE TUNA AND THE HIGHLY INTERNATIONAL
ASPECTS OF THE FISHERIES FOR TUNA IN THE EASTERN PACIFIC
OCEAN.

(B) THE US IS PREPARED TO NEGOTIATE SERIOUSLY TOWARDS

A MULTILATERAL SOLUTION. IN THIS CONNECTION, WE LOOK
FOREWARD TO EARLY CONVENING OF MEETING TO CONTINUE NEGOTIA-
TIONS BEGUN LAST SEPTEMBER IN SAN JOSE. WE ARE CONVINCED
THAT THROUGH THESE NEGOTIATIONS A LONG-TERM SOLUTION TO
TUNA PROBLEM CAN BE FOUND.

3. NEGROPONTE WILL BE ACCOMPANIED BY WILLIAM FOX, NATIONAL
MARINE FISHERIES SERVICE. NEGROPONTE AND FOX WILL ARRIVE
MAY 24 AT 5:55 P.M. VIA PA FLT 541. PLEASE RESERVE TWO
SINGLES AT CARIARI HOTEL THROUGH MAY 26. VANCE

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